



RE long Term Plan 2021-2022

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	Early Years RE is accessed through the Early Learning Goals, particularly the 'People and communities' unit within the specific area 'Understanding the World'. This is taught through continuous provision, listening to religious stories and general topic work about their own experiences of special times and family customs and routines.					
Year 1	What does it mean to belong?	What do Christians celebrate at Christmas? <i>Attend a church service</i>	What do Christians believe? <i>Invite Christian member from the community into school</i>	Why and how do we celebrate Easter?	Why do Christians love to tell stories about Jesus?	What does it mean to be part of a Jewish family?
Year 2	How do we show we care for others? <i>Visit care home</i>	Why and how are Christmas and Chanukah celebrated? <i>Attend a church service</i>	Who is an inspiring person?	Why and how do special places and symbols show what people believe?	What can we learn from Christian and Jewish creation stories?	What do Muslims believe?
Year 3	What makes some books sacred?	What are the deeper meanings of festivals of light? <i>Attend a church service</i>	What do different people believe God is like?	What matters to Christians about Easter?	What is worship? <i>Visit a mosque place of worship</i>	What qualities do leaders of religions demonstrate?
Year 4	Can religious teachings help us decide the best way to live?	How is Christmas celebrated in other cultures? <i>Attend a church service</i>	What do creation stories teach us about caring for the world?	Why is pilgrimage important to some religious believers?	Where, how and why do people pray?	How are faith communities represented in Wigan? <i>Organise faith speed dating in the hall.</i>
Year 5	What are the five pillars of Islam?	How can art, architecture and poetry express belief? <i>Attend a church service</i>	What is important in Jewish life and worship? <i>Visit Jewish museum in Manchester.</i>	Why is Easter so important to Christians?	Why do believers see life as a journey?	
Year 6	Why, where and how do Hindus worship? <i>Visit a Mandir/Hindu temple</i>	Can religions help to build a fair world? <i>Attend a church service</i>	How are faith communities represented in the UK?	How do Christians follow Jesus?	Who has made a difference because of their beliefs?	Why do some people believe in life after death?